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Applicant(s): Rohit Chaman Lal Sachdeva and Farrokh  
Title: TEMPORARY IMPLANT FOR USE AS AN ANCHOR IN THE MOUTH

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that a Certificate of Correction be issued for the patent identified in the heading. The patent contains printing errors that occurred through the fault of the Patent Office as follows:

Column 11, line 59, "appliance" should read --appliance,-- as appears in the Amendment dated July 15, 1997 in amended claim 38 which is now claim 1, at page 2, line 1.

Column 11, line 65, "avov-bone" should read --above-bone-- as appears in the Amendment dated July 15, 1997 in amended claim 38 which is now claim 1, at page 2, line 5.

Column 11, line 65, "inner and" should read --inner end-- as appears in the Amendment dated July 15, 1997 in amended claim 38 which is now claim 1, at page 2, line 5.

Column 12, line 1, "outer and" should read --outer end-- as appears in the Amendment dated July 15, 1997 in amended claim 38 which is now claim 1, at page 2, line 7.

In accordance with the established procedure for handling such certificates, two copies of PTO-1050 are enclosed listing the errors.

Respectfully submitted,

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